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- 1. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO/SB/08A;
- 2. Supplemental Declaration For Patent Application and Power of Attorney;
- 3. Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 of Dr. Jing Zhang; and
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The Supplemental Declaration and Power of Attorney is being filed to provide correct citation of the priority information.

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The Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 of Dr. Jing Zhang relates to the publication of GenBank Accession Number AB016785, which was cited in an Office Action dated April 10, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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